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# THE DAY WE CELEBRATE

Victoria in Holiday Attire Stands Ready to Greet Her Visitors and Assist Them in Doing Honor to the Memory of "The Good Queen."

May celebrations—will this year some novelties. The naval races and the Indian races, which are features of Victoria's aquatic carnival which could not be rivailed at any other point on the Pacific Coast, if on the continent, for it is doubtful if there is any other point on the continent which has such a waterway as Victoria Arm, and such picturesque contestants on the placific waters as these handy men from the King's Navce, and the dusky siwastic who struggle with the paddles in their 40-foot canoos for supremacy and sixver dollars.

The crews steered recover the bloogh the crews steered recover the long the crews and their colors are as follows:

Al. Hoy, conswain; Ah Kip and Ah Sing, colors, dark blue with white stripes. The Fong, coxswain; Lee Yung and Lee Jung, colors, red with white stripes, who struggle with the paddles in their 40-foot canoos for supremacy and sixver dollars.

Too Yow, colors light blue.

who struggle with the paddles in their 40-foot canoes for supremacy and siver dollars.

Then there is another feature of the regatta this year in the Chinamen's race. Four crews of two oarsmen and a cowain in each boat will contest for the championship of Little China. The Mongolians have secured gaudy colored uniforms and the Victoria Sealing Company has loaned its boats for the race. The Chinese have been practising for days and there is great excitement in Chinatown over the contest. The Chinese community has arranged for a firework celebration in connection with the race, and that it will be a feature of the regatta is evident.

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The four-oared lapstreak race, in which the University of Washington and the James Bay crews will compete—arinternational event—is also likely to attract much attention. The tub race,

# THORPE'S

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# Racers Killed **And Maimed**

Foolhardy Automobilists Meet With Many Accidents in

Avoiding a Dog one Machine Strikes Tree and Kills Chaffeurs.

French and Spanish Governments intervene and Stop Foolishness.

STRIKE AVERTED.

GAMEY INVESTIGATION.

Hag Goe and Ko Kaj are not out of the reckoning.

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Toronto, May 24.—The Gamey investigation closed yesterday. The judges intimated that their report would be ready lows:

THE CUBAN TRADE.

British Chambers of Commerce Protest Against United States Treaty.

Wonb Foo, yellow with red stripes.
Ko Kai, conswain; Lum Look and Too Yow, colors light blue.

BAND CONCERT.
City Band Will Give Band Concert This Evening.
The following programme will be rendered this evening on the streets from 7 p. m. to till 10 p. m.:

PART 1

London, May 23.—In reply to a memorial from the Associated Chambers of Commerce protesting that reciprocity between the United States and Cuba, will be injurious to Britist trade with Cuba, foreign secretary Lord Lansdowne writes that representations to the United States on this subject have been made without effect and he fears that no useful purpose could be served by further representations.

# RUSSIA STILL SQUEEZING CHINA Louisville, Ky., May 24.—Fire last night destroyed the machinery and stock of the Falls City Short Company. Loss \$8,000, partly insured. Other "Demands" Seek Railroad Concessions For New Mili-

tary Railroad.

BASEBALL.

Today's game between the strong Whatcom team and the Victorias should prove to he one of the fastest of the season. The lawe been playing at Everett for the past awo days and have had no trouble whatever in defeating that team, consequently they will come here full of conidence and will one been full of conidence and will one here full of conidence and will of the publishing and the typical have here been presented that other wild to the publishing and the publishing and the wild the publishing and the wild the publishing all kinds of speed and courses a new with the standard of the publishing new will be the control of the publishing new will be a set will come to he do not to hold a place on the whateom team. The line-up of the Whateom team. Sa follows: Galaski, published their stations. Although a slight decrease in the garrisons is obtained their stations. Although a slight decrease in the garrisons is obtained their stations. Although a slight decrease in the garrisons is obtained their stations. Although a slight decrease in the garrisons is obtained and the very who, however, can proceed a safely if they are guarded by Russian troops.



STATESMAN EXILED.

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MAJOR McBRIDE

lenges Redmond And Harrington.

CAPT. HARTMAN ACQUITTED.

YESTERDAY'S FIRES.

TROUBLE IN A BANK. Safe Lock Gets Out of Repair and Lock-smiths Have to Break in.

Halifax, May 24—After four days and four nights locksmiths have succeeded in opening the big door of the safe in the Royal Bank of Canada. The lock had become twisted and the bank authorities were mable to obtain money until it was repaired.

Blotted Out.

Fierce Tornado

People Killed, Buildings Wreck-

ed And Many Cattle Are Destroyed.

Oklahoma Also Visited And Whole Town Reported

In Kansas

SEEKS A DUEL Husband of Maud Gonne Chal-

ward a friendly welcome on his coming visit to Ireland. Major McBride says: "It seems that only the fact that says is a lady prevented Redmond and Harrington and their friends from dealing summarily with her.

"They regret that it was not her hust band who was present. Unfortunately I cannot go to Ireland at present, but, in the meantime, if any of them fed aggrieved at my wife's action, I shall he most bappy to afford them satisfation in this accommodating country.

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Sudden Squall Upsets Boat and Three Lose Their Lives.

Manila, May 23.—The verdict in the court martial of Capt. Carl F. Hartman, of the signal corps, charged with embezzling government property, is a full acquittal.

Toronto, May 24.—As the result of a sudden squall upsetting their boat last night, Mr. and Mrs. Beckett, 149 Seaton street, and Mrs. Libbie McKenzie, Wood street, were drowned in Toronto Bay.

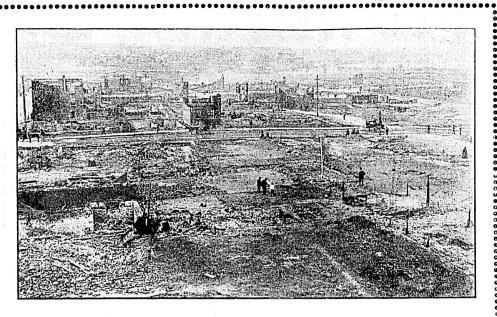
## **BISHOP OF LONDON** IS ANSWERED

Chancellor of Diocese Defends Action in Recent Vanderbilt Wedding,

London, May 23.—In a letter to the Times, occupying three columns Dr. Tristram, chancellor of the London Dheem, today defends his action in granting the Vanderbilt-Rutherford marin opening the big door of the safe in the Royal Bank of Canada. The lock had become twisted and the bank authorities were unable to obtain money until it was repaired.

FIN COMMUNARIDS MEMORY.

Paris, May 24.—The annual pilzrimage of socialists and revolutionists to the "Hole in the Wall" in the cemetery of Pere la Chaise, against which the Communaries were executed in 1871, took place this afternoon and passed off without any disturbance. Three thousand persons marched in the procession to the cemetery.



OTTAWA FIRE—Part of the Burnt District, Looking South

# Montreal's

Companies Go Out En Masse.

then Montreal has had a hap-hazard street railway service. Mostly everybody is walking and walking cheerfully, Rector of Bonn Gives Saxe-Cobourg's because once in history, public opinion is solidly with a corporation in a fight against its employees. On Saturday the company arranged to operate 44 cars the Beaver Hall, St. Catharine and Denis street lines. There was out

on the Beaver Hall, St. Catharine and St. Denis street lines. There was but little violence attempted, most of the men were old employees of the company. The cars went in at 7 o'clock, the company having decided to abandon its night service until it has men enough to furnish a fairly complete day service on all lines.

The second day of the street railway strike leaves the situation in a still more favorable light, as far as the company is concerned. Twice as many cars were operated today as yesterday, and they were unequal to the demands made upon them. In only one feature was the day's record lacking. There was more violence. The police allowed the strikers to hold a parade this afternoon, and that parade held up several cars. It met along the line of march, assaulted the motormen and conductors and ill-treated the police. As a result of these encounters, two motormen are in the hospital this evening rather seriously injured, and the business agent of the local union, S. Aube, is under arrest along with a couple of other strikers. The disorders were confined to the castern end of St. Catharine street and to St. Denis street. No violence whatever was reported from any other section of the city.

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Noticeable is the corner of St. Cathine and St. Lawrence streets, one of e most important crossings in the ty. Empire Hall, in which the striks meet, is situated on this corner, and e strikers have been allowed to hold disanted sway.

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Today every car which passed this
corner had to have a way cleared for
it through a yelling mob of men, crying
"Skath" Once the police attempted to

empted.

The Windsor and St. Lawrence and Difference Street service was also abanoned, they using this crossing.

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The power company is having considerable trouble with its wires, several having been cut early this morning. They were required during the day, but more trouble is expected tonight. Users of electrical gower are endeavoring to make arrangements for steam, at where this cannot be had, a shut-down is likely to occur. The longshoremen, who only about 10 days ago went back do work, are again growing restive to work, are again growing restive the runion and claim that the shippers are discriminating against them. A meeting was held today at which a strike was energetically supported, but were counsel prevailed, and in the end, it was agreed that the shippers should be given a few days in which to demonstrate a better disposition toward the amion. If the men should quit work at any moment, no one would be greatly surprised.

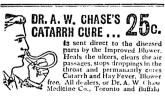
Travelers For Dawson Lose Their Lives in Northern Rivers.

Dawson, Y. T., May 24.—Upper Yukon waters claim three more victims, reported today are: Murdock Caneron from Vancouver, B. C. and thought probably formerly from Inverses county, N. S.; John McCornell, encourage from Vancouver, B. C., to Dawson; Charles Lesigatos, a Greek, Cameron and Legisgatos were drewned to gether in Pelly river, 17 miles below the month of Ross river, May 17.

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Local Vaudeville Theatres Have Many Specialties for the

Celebration.

This week being the fourth anniver-

ary of the opening of the Savoy theatre

the management have prepared a bill of

special merit to celebrate the event as

well as to prove to the many visitors who will undoubtedly visit our city that

Victoria maintains the finest vaudeville

theatre in the Northwest. Among the many novelties that will be presented

will be Walters and Freeman, a clever

and capable team of song and dance artists, who come heralded as a pair of

the best dancers in America. This week will also signalize the first appear-

AT PLAY HOUSES

Latest Strike

Easton, Pa., May 24.—Four men were seriously burned by explosion of pulverized coal at Martin's Creek Cement Mill near here today. All the victims were brought to Easton hospital. After the explosion the coal storage house caught fire and was destroyed. The Martin's Creek plant is the largest in the section.

HAWAHAN LEGISLATION.

Sympathy of the Public Largely
With Corporations This
Time.

Montreal, May 24.—The street railway employees went on strike on Saturday morning at daybreak, and since then Montreal has had a hap-hazard

Validity of Many Laws to Be Called in Question.

Honolain, May 24.—A serious question involving the vandity of all the legislation enacted in the Hawaiian Islands since 1900, has been brought to light by Superintendent of Public Works.

Henry E. Cooper, who refuses to act under the regulations of recently-adopted that the net was unconstitutional.

A GERMAN PRINCE.

the best dancers in America. This week will also signalize the first appearance of Miss Georgie Verdi, famous as a handsome young woman in addition to being a singer of repute. Post and Ashley, Victoria's favorities, will present as a novelty a sketch written by a local author, entitled, "A Glass White's Dilemma." It abounds with comeany of the richest hue, and is bothed to arodse the risibilities of the most promoduced misanthrope. Erb and Lab have reserved their very best work for the week, which in itself is a guarantee of genuine amusement. Miss Julia Byron, a winsome young sobrette, will introduce a clever specialty. Miss Camille Berson will appear in beautiful libustrated sortes, while May Ward will be seen to advantage in some of the latest songs of the syncopated type. The projectoscope will display a new line of local pictures. A very funny prelude to the above grand olio of novelties has been prepared, introducing the full strength of the company. Truly the Savoy entertainment will be one of the strongest features of the holiday.

THE EDISON.

The Edison theatte, the home of high class yandeville and blee-sized moving Heir Some Advice,

Berlin, May 24.—The rector of Bonn university, in receiving the matriculation of the Duke of Saya-Cobourg, Prince Arthur of Connaught, who is heir to a principality, addressed him as follows, "You spent your life out of Germany. What is good in English education keeps, but a German prince, as you know, must be German to the core, and must think and feel German.

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The Elisas the third of the same than the strongest seates of the same than Today every car which passed this stramers, tugs and sternwheelers, Presistence and to have a way cleared for it through a yelling mob of men, crying the through the property ways. It is the property ways and instant a mass of strikers howered down on the wagon, unhitched the prisoners, the noisers and liberated the prisoners, the noisers are fively embodiment of the spirit which makes us proud to be Americans. I question if you fully realize how great your future reality is. There is no other your future

The first steamer from the upper river is expected at Dawson Saturday, waiting the breaking of the last jam at Selkirk. Steamers are covering local

GAS EXPLOSION.

Quebec, May 24.—8. S. Coban, of the Black Diamond line from Sydney, C. B., for Montreat, has signalled that an ex-plosion of gas had occurred on board. A waiter was killed and two steerage pas-sengers missing, and it is thought they went overboard.

# E. & J. BURKE'S THREE STAR

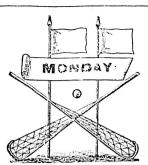
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## THE WEEK AT THE CITY HALL

Architects Dissatisfied With Condition of Library Plans Competition.

Montreal, May 24.—A Witness London cable says: The Agent-General of New South Wales in London, speaking at the launching of the new battleship Commonwealth, the largest man-of-war in the world, threw out the suggestion that the eldest son of the Prince of Wales be called Prince of Canada and the second son Prince of Australia. Montreal, May 24.—A Witness London endo cable says: The Agent-General of New South Wales in London, speaking at the launching of the new battleship Commonwealth, the largest man-of-war in the world, threw out the suggestion that the eldest son of the Prince of Canada and the second son Prince of Canada and the Paris. Madrid, 2di automobile races will be one of the latest monster machines, and the probability of record-breaking runs. The leading sportsmen from all over Europe and many from the other side of the Mantic have gathered here to see the performance, as it is fully expected that the records of the Paris-Berlin race in 1901, and the Paris-Wienna race, in 1902, will be far exceeded by this, the leading long-distance contest of 1903.

The first stage of the contest is from Versailes to Bordeaux, 343 miles; the performance, as it is fully expected that the records of the Paris-Berlin race in 1901, and the Paris-Vienna race, in 1902, will be far exceeded by this, the leading long-distance contest of 1903.

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Paris, May 21.—The start in the Paris-Madrid au

PUCKLE—In this city on the 23rd inst., the wife of Henry Puckle, of Braemar, South Saanich, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

STONE—RULLARD—At Christ Church the 23rd inst., by the Rev. II. L. Roy, George A. Stone, of Montreal, to Myrtle E. Bullard, of Detroit, Mich. (Montreal papers please copy.)

BURKE—HUNTER — On Saturday, May 23rd, by the Rev. R. G. MacBeth, Wil-llam W. Burke, to Miss Jean Hunter, both of this city.

THORPE-DOUBBLE—FOSTER—On Saturday, May 23rd, at Clurist Church Cathedral, by the Rev. Canon Beanlands Lieut. Thomas T. Thorpe-Doubble, eldest surviving son of the late A. Doubbl. Esq., of Kensington, and of Mrs Doubble, East Molesby, Surrey, t Blanche Brettingham, younger daughte of F. W. Foster, Esq., J. P., of Clintor and Victoria, B. C.

DOIG—At Beaton, B. C., April 16, Willian Edward, two year old son of Mrs. 8 Dolg.

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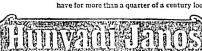
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Portland And Asiatic Liner Brings News Budget From the Orient.

Prince George is a Wreck on One of the Philippine Islands.

Steamer Indravelli, of the Portland and Asiatic line reached port yesterday bringing another large contingent of Chinese for this city and Vancouver. The steamer landed 115 Celestials at the Ocean docks. She has a large cargo of freight, which is to be landed at Portland. The cargo includes large shapments of matting ten, goatskins, rice, and general merchandise. One Chinese died during the voyage from Yokohama, which port was left on May 8, and he was buried at sea. During the stay of the steamer at the Ocean docks yesterday one of her Chinese passengers escaped, and the steamer will be liable for the head tax. He was not recaptured.

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Crew Suffered Hardships.

The Norwegian bark Prince George, which was on the overdue market some time ago, and reinsured at 40 cents, did not reach Hollo as was reported by cable. Her crew did, though, and instead of the speculators—of whom there were many in this city—who played her to arrive, winning the money, they lose. The steamer Indravelli, which arrived last night brought Manila papers which told of the wreek of the Norwegian bark. The Prince George was wrecked on April 8 on the south coast of the Island of Basilan. Her crew numbering 10 men escaped in an open boat, leaving the bark a wreck on the island coast, and they were at sea in their small open boat for three days, suffering great hardships, before the United States coast guard cutter Tablas picked them up when on a voyage from Jolo to Zambonaga and landed them at the latter port. The unfortunate seamen were suffering from beri-beri. They were without funds and permission was given by the officers of the United States guard cutter to the captain allowing him to self the small boat in which they escaped from the wreck to secure funds to buy

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The Prince George, which was a Norwegian bark of 499 tons, built at Sunderland in 1865, left London a year ago Friday for Hongay, China, with a cargo of pitch. Sie sustained damage in the channel, and afterwards met with bad weather in the North Atlantic, necessitating her putting in at Rio de Janiero for repairs. When she recommenced her voyage she made a very long passage being about 250 days out from Rio, and she was reinsured at 40 per cent. Many in Victoria gambled that she would arrive, and when the news was gibled that she would arrive, and when the news was gibled that she would marrive, and when the news was qibled that she would arrive, and when the news was qibled that she would arrive, and when the news was qibled that she would arrive, and when the news was qibled that she would arrive, and when the news was qibled that she would arrive, and when the news was qibled that she would arrive, and when the news was qibled that she would arrive, and when the news was qibled that she would arrive, and when the news was qibled that she would arrive, and when the news was qibled that she would arrive, and when the news was qibled that she would arrive, and when the news was qibled that she would arrive, and when the news was qibled that she would arrive, and when the news of the wreck of a steamer rive, and when the news of the wreck of a steamer rive, and when the news of the wreck of a fact many are in one would not a point the form of the dependent of the properties of the wreck of seattle, which went to copper the schools of the wreck of a steamer would not a point trays, and the range and apple of their skins, while four and showe column, lave not given in the above column, lave not given in the above first the schools of the writers.

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Colonist wired last night that the Co-quittam went up through Welcome Pass an hour before the City of Scattle went down past Sechelt. Passengers per steamer Seattle disembarking at Van-couver say the stranded steamer is no doubt the Arrow of Scattle.

## MARINE NOTES.

Steamer Empress of China is sched-Steamer Empress of China is scheduled to sail today for the Orient.

Tug Lorne returned from the Sound yesterday after taking part in the marine parade in honor of President Roosevelt, and she proceeded to Vancouver with the ship Canada, which is chartered to load lamber at Hastings Mills. The Lorne was given a post of honor in the parade, being the only British craft in line.

The excursionists who went to Seat-

t cole in the theft of brass taps in the E. & N. Railway was arrested ceday. A drunk was also brought The theft of a Perfect bicycle, the perty of Mr. Gowen, from Trounce and was reported to the police.

# STRAW EMBROIDERY FAD.

Puffed Crowns in Hats of Desk Sets and Other Trinkets.

Closely following the burnt burnt leather craze, comes a brand new fad in the way of needlewory called straw embroidery, and both amateur and manufacturers are striving to be-

Seattle is Stranded.

The steamer City of Seattle, which reached Seattle yesterday afternoon, brought news of the wreck of a steamer whose identity is uncertain on a point just outside Comox, off Vancouver Island. The boat, Capt. Cann, of the Seattle, thinks was the Vancouver steamer Coquitian, or possibly the Arrow, a fishing steamer belonging to Seattle. The Arrow went North a few days again and would probably have gone into Comox. The Boston Museum of Fine Arris has just purchased a fine Degas, "Race Horsen and some three getting along toward the 90 year and would probably have gone into Comox. The Boston Museum of Fine Arris has just purchased a fine Degas, "Race Horsen and probably have gone into Comox. The boat looked from the Seattle, when the latter passed early this morning, to have gone ashore on her way out of Comox. She was high up on shore, with rocks outside of her and around her, and she had a very decided list to starboard. She was a single sticker, with her funnel and white house towards the stern.

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Sealing Season On the Coast

> Schooners Will Have Catch of About 3200 Seal Skins.

> Average Per Schooner Will Be higher Than That of Last Year.

With the arrival of the Penelope, Libbie and C. D. Rand, the last of the schooners which hunted off the British Columbia coast during the season just closed has returned to port. Eleven schooners have returned to their quarters in the upper harbor from the cruise on the coast to make ready for the Behring Sea cruise, on which the Hebring Sea cruise, on which the of three of the fleet which has gone across the Pacific to the Copper Islands and the Japan sea, has been received, making in all 2,513 skins brought to port as the catch of the 14 schoon-Tug Lorne returned from the Sound yesterday after taking part in the marine parade in honor of President Roosevelt, and she proceeded to Vancouver with the ship Canada, which is chartered to load lumber at Hastings Mills. The Lorne was given a post of honor in the parade, being the only British craft in line.

The excursionists who went to Seattle on the steamer Rosalie on Saturday morning to see the marine parade and other festivities in honor of the arrival of President Roosevelt at Seattle, were greatly disappointed as the steamer made a very slow passage, and although she left Victoria at 6:30 a. m.—two and a half hours in advance of her usual time—she did not arrive at Seattle until the parade.

MISHAPS OF A

BRIDAL COUPLE

Boarded the Wrong Steamer and Had Nothing to Wear But Good Clothes.

A few days ago a young couple came to Victoria from Port Townsend on a honeymoon trip that they will remember. They didn't enjoy the trip then—but they have big shunks of laughter now when they recall the evenerine.

lives, being more fortunate than Capt, Daley and the crew of the Hatzie, which never was heard of after she started from Kynquot on her scaling cruise last year. The George W. Prescott was lost during the tremendous gale which raged off the const on March 10, when the wind blew at a velocity of 73 miles an hour, and the little schooner was caught by an unlucky wave and totally wrecked. She turned over, snapped the masts out and righted with her decks a mass of wreckage. With the exception of two Indians who were drowned, the crew escaped, as though by a miracle. The schooner had a catch of \$1 skins when lost, and but 20 by a miracle. The schooner had a catch of 81 skins when lost, and but 29

by a miracle. The schooner had a catch of SI skins when lost, and but 20 were saved.

Other vessels which met with accident were the Geneva and Sadie Turpel. The former was despatched to hunt off the British Columbia coast, and thence proceed to the Japan sea. She encountered heavy weather soon after leaving the Straits, and put into Honoinhu after a trying voyage—her men keeping busy at the pumps. She was leaking and damaged, and a survey held at Honoinhu resulted in her being condemned as unseaworthy in her condition at that time. Capt. Grant went to Honoinhu and had the vessel repaired at a cest of \$4,000. Several suits taken by Capt. D. L. Jones, her master, and some of her crew, are to be taken for loss of the sealing season, the men claiming the vessel to be in an unseaworthy condition.

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The schooner Sadie Turpel, Capt. Mohrhouse, left port the day preceding one of the winter's gales, and she broke from her anchorage in the Royal Roads and dragged ashore in Royal Bay, where she lay for some weeks with her hulp muctured, before she was floated by Messrs. Roy and Bebbington, of Esquimalt, and brought with her deck awash into the upper harbor, and placed on the ways for repairs. The Umbrina was strained on her way home from her cruise and was leaking on her arrival, necessitating her being hauled out for repairs.

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Director	97	
*Dora Siewerd	130	oó
Enterprise	99	20
Ida Etta		14
Libbie	230	3
*Oscar and Hattie		9
Penelope · · · ·	280	13
*Triumph		32
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*Vera	109	14
Victoria	60	7

President Roosevelt's teur of the West Icealls a story of the time when President Hayes was in Kansas 25 years are the time that the thinson for a few minutes and a crowd pressed forward to shafe him by the hand. Among the number was an intoxicated man, who did not know what all the excitement was about. When this man's turn came the president grasped his hand and said: "Giad to see you, my friend." Same to you" was the goalst reply. "but you have the best of me. Say, somebody introduce me to this zearl'man. Nev' saw him before in my life."

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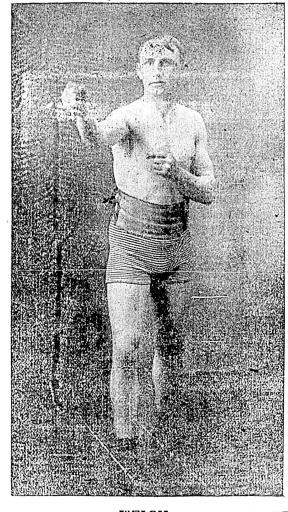
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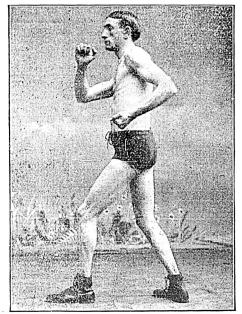
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THE TRUMPET CALL. It is easy to understand the sensation which Mr. Chamberlain's speech has made in Great Britain. In that part of issue for the British Empire, he said: 'Il am no protectionist, but I want to discover if the true interpretation of trade is that it is our only duty to buy in the cheapest market without regard to whether we can sell. If that is the theory of free trade, and it finds acceptance here and elsewhere, then you will lose the advantage of the further reduction of duty which Canada offers to may lose a great deal more, be-Minister of Finance of Canada told the Canadian Parliament of the other day that if they are told deity, they must reconsider the position and reconsider the preference they had already given. The policy which prevents from offering an advantage to our colonies prevents us from defending them if attacked. We may well have supposed that an agreement of this kind, which Canada does a kindness to us. was a matter of family agreement concerning nobody else. Unfortunately. Germany thinks otherwise. Germany insists upon treating Canada as though separate country, and has penalized Canada by additional duties on Canadian goods. German newspapers frankly explain that this is a policy of reprisal, and that it is intended to deter other colonies from giving us the same advantage. This policy of dictation and interference is justified by the belief that we are so wedded to our fiscal system that we cannot defend our attempts to establish special relations arrong interpretation which has been of real service which runs through them throughout the Empire at large, placed upon the doctrine of free trade all, even the sensationalism in the as it has not, the celebration in C by the small remnant of "Little Englandwho profess to be the sole reposit of the doctrines of Cobden and Bright. In that case they will be absoecluded either from giving preference or favor to the colonies abroad when they offer a favor to us. The secpoint could not be more clearly stated.

promise political profit.

SENSATIONALISM. A most ingenious man has contributed But the critic confounds newspaper sen- (Mr. McCarthy says), "a convinced home it is. sationalism with newspaper originality. ruler." No, indeed; nor had any one What is called newspaper sensationalism (least of all any Parnellite) the least sationalism with newspaper originality. Twier." No, indeed; nor had any one What is called newspaper sensationalism was original when it was new, but it has long ceased to be anything, but the expression of a soul depressing conventually continued, after assuming office, after assuming office, and any one of all any parallel to the least of all any Parallel to the least of all any Parallel to the least of all any one of al

was a real genius, whose counterpart in when he could consistently do so, in pubthe scientific world has still some vogue. lic. Then came the Kilmainham treaty But his day is gone, and that of his imi- and Gladstone's new land policy, and tators is rapidly passing. the extreme age of the fragment, the latter still expressed his willingness to peculiar circumstances of its discovery, accept the chief secretaryship. Foreign of copy, the latter, properly handled by dealy announced that he could not sup-the space filling fabricator, who too often passes for a good reporter, four it presently came out that he could not hope it is not far distant, when news-paper sensationalism of the conventional count of Mr. Chamberlain's political sm will be all the rage. There will be of 1886. the other day that if they are tool de-finitely that the Mother Country can do nothing for them in the way of recipros-ity, they must reconsider the position while, and passes. Do we not see the same thing in medicine for instance? For Chamberlain became a member of the is an oleaginous caress, is all the rage, view, but it is a perversion of history Then comes the rough, breezy, and frequency nevertheless. Chamberlain used the quently brutal and uncouth doctor whose trish party as a stick to break over the presence breathes vitality and who carbeads of the Tories. But he was a conrecognize the phrases). Everybody then must have a rough, breezy, and frequently ambition cannot account for his course. quently brutal and uncouth doctor, while Since Gladstone, the Liberal party has our soapy friend retires to a cheaper been leaderless, the Conservative house and lets the mould accumulate on has had trusted leaders, and Mr. Cham the livery of his coachman. With ac- berlain has been forced into a secondtors is it not the same? A cult of na- ary position, because the Tories would turalism succeeds to a cult of pro-nounced mannerism. The actor who best turer. The Liberal party would have conceals his art is all the vogue, and the followed him gladly, and long ere this puzzled school that is displaced retires he would have ruled the country, incolonies, and that any one of them which to snuffy clubs and the consolations of stead of merely dominating its rulers by gin and water. There was a time too, the force of his personality. with us will do so at its own risk, and else history lies, when the ideal clergymust be left to bear the brunt of for- man was a dear creature with pulmonary anust be left to bear the brunt of foreign hostility. That is putting us in trouble and dwindling limbs, whose only rather a humiliating position. If we notion of a dumbbell would be a church is one that for all of us has had very allow it to prevail, how can we ap- bell with the clapper taken out. He pleasant associations in the past. The proach the colonies with appeals to aid was a convention, and he passed, to be Queen's Birthday was a holiday univer us in promoting the union of the Em- succeeded by a brawny individual sup- sal in and peculiar to the Empire. It or ask them to bear a share of the posed, by the possession of a shelf full was no mere official recognition of re of a sk them to bear a share of the poses, by the possession of a such that was no mere omeial recognition of recommon burdens? It is better to cultiof athletic trophies, to have a heavy spect to the occupant of the throne, 
wate the trade of your own people or handicap in the cure of souls. The conbut a popular holiday universally celethe trade of your own people or handicap in the cure of sours. The content of the trade of those who rightly enough would make us morbid were it not for the trade of those who rightly enough would make us morbid were it not for one amountaines and rivals? That the fact that there is a quality of hone one all over the world. There is a e trade of those who rightly enough would make a meron were it and the rightly enough which the people est work which may redeem them all; certain difficulty in transplanting such of this Empire have to consider. I do and that, even if people reward most collaborations to a new date in the year, not want to hasten their decision. They highly the unessential qualities in harhave two alternatives. They may maintain in its severity the artificial and is most benefited by the essential quality May, had that course only been taken

protecting the colonies Portraits gives the secret according to objection to connecting that celebration and alternative is that we must insist tained for years against Mr. Chamberthe reigning monarch, in fact such a that we will not be bound by any purely lain. It is not such a rare thing for a reclinical definition of free trade; that politician to change his views. Protect Unfortunately, however, kings do not live trade between ourselves and all nations vice versa; insular-minded men have because declaration of the King's Birthday as we seek a free interchange of itionists have become free traders and forever, and are not all born on the trade between oursetween oursetween and an introduction of the world we will, nevertheless, resonance the power of negotiating, and, if ed their views. Sometimes, as in Peel's the 26th of June represents the British sume the jower of negoriating, and his great disciple, Gladstone, or our relations whenever our own day, and his great disciple, Gladstone, spirit of compromise at its highest maniful interests or our relations with the colon- an important portion of a party has seies are threatened by other people." We ceded and, after a longer or shorter in- for an Imperial holiday, and the early ies are threatened by other people. We ceited and, airer a longer or smorter in for an Imperial holiday, and the early do not know what the reception of that terval has joined the ranks of those language in Great Britain will ultimate whom it once opposed. As for individually be, but it is the language which the dual migrations of this kind, due to the King's Birthday. But this universal besple of Canada have for a long time change of view, they are of constant holiday should be an immovable feast if been waiting to hear from a British occurrence. In what respect, then, was statesman. The Imperial issue raised the conduct of Mr. Chamberlain any may grow into the heart of the people as by German retaliation against Canada, worse than that of his colleagues in the the 24th of May now alas! only conand the impossibility of Great Britain's Liberal party who went back on Mr. nected with the memory of our late bedealing with it from her present stand-Gladsione after he had gone back on loved Queen, Victoria, grew into their them in 186? To this question Mr. Mc- heart and lives. The inference that Great Britain must Carthy supplies the answer that repre-The inference that Great fortunal mass revise her standpoint and realize her responsibility to the Empire is one that Charles Stewart Parnell took the lead of ed on the 16th of May, 1853, just half Mr. Chamberlain has had no difficulty in drawing. Joseph Chamberlain is a Mr. Joseph Chamberlain proved valuable man. He knows how to grasp a sting-ing nettle. In Canada our main imme-Nor was it in matters of common interdiate interest in the question is as to est only that the help of these English diate interest in the question is as to set this that the help of these Engish show it will be taken up and dealt with the two great political parties. As to the Conservative party there can be no doubt. Mr. Chamberlain's remarks are Dilke the Attorney-General and Chamto the long held principles of the Bolicitor-General and Chamin line with the long held principles of the Bolicitor-General of the Irish that party, and we have hopes of the Liberal party also, it adopts new principles with such amazing readiness if they House. To Sir Charles home rule was premise realities. an essential feature of the federal system, which he favored. He would, therefore, have been practically a home ruler even if there had been no home rule party. Mr. Chamberla'n was not so emphatic in his advocacy of home rule, but the Speech from the Throne for another to the Daily News an article in which the denies that what is known as the sensational or "Yellow" press is really people made known their desire for it sensational at all. "What can be drear-through their chosen spokesmen their ict," he says, "than perpetually reading desire should be granted by the Imperial on the ground that "the direct injury the same exaggerations of the same parliament. When Gladstone became inflicted on Canadians by the surtax is the same violent proclamations of the commons, as had been naturally expect-dians, the Globe does not explain. Germans, as had been maturally expect-dians, the Globe does not explain. same equally insignificant untruths; the ed. Sir Charles and Mr. Chamberlain many, it appears, injured Germans to same subjects distorted in the same were members of his government-the avenge the Canadian the same murderer eating the same latter becoming president of the Board Great Britain, and now Canada is injur-

The journalist who discovered the as before, to give his support to the trick of reconstructing from the bone Home Rule party. Even when the party of an old mule "an animal that was ex- was in conflict with the government on tremely rare" who would, from a wind the question of coercion (Mr. Foster be-blown atom of circumstance, give a ing then Chief Secretary), Mr. Chambercompleted story rich in plot and pas-sion, and with a dramatic conclusion, the home rulers and stood by them, We are very Mr. Forster's indignant resignation. The much mistaken if the public does not al- Chief Secretaryship was offered (Mr. ready begin to prefer a mode of treat- McCarthy believes) to Sir Charles Dilke, ment something like the following: "This but declined because it was not accomone was discovered in excavating the panied by Cabinet rank, Mr. Chamber foundation for a new house near the lain was then willing to accept it had old residence of the Jones family, it been offered to him. Finally it was Twenty years ago Mr. Jones, now dead, conferred on Lord F. Cavendish, After number of mules, and it appears the Phoenix Park tragedy, Mr. Parnell likely that he may have buried a dead and Mr. McCarthy consulted their one in the place where the bone was friends, Sir Charles Dilke and Mr. Cham-discovered," to a learned disquisition on their predicament, and the and the invented opinion of a famous troubles intervened, and Ireland was for archaeologist that it belonged to a prehistoric animal. Yet the latter would be Mr. Gladstone's parliamentary reform the conventional way for a sensational gave Ireland a larger and really national newspaper to treat the incident, and representation, home rule assumed new much the easiest. The former method importance. The followers of Parnell requires the verification of certain facts, swayed the House. After a brief Tory the latter nothing but the exercise of an reign (1885), the Liberals were returned inagaration trained to luxuriate at call to office, but their sustained strength along certain conventional lines upon a depended on the home rulers. In the slim basis of fact presented to it without any exertion of its own. Besides, the former method provides only four lines was then that "Mr. Chamberlain sudcolumns. The day will come, and we support "any measure of home rule." type will become unpopular and natural-ism will be all the rage. There will be of 1886. As to his course during the a certain displacement in the profession, years that followed he thus epitomizes and a discarded school will wonder why it: "He resigned his place in Mr. Gladit has been discarded. No one man, far stone's government, and he became from ess any profession, can support the bur- that time not only an opponent of home a time the smooth, soapy practitioner, Tory government." We can understand whose every inquiry after your health an ardent Irish Home Ruler taking this ries an atmosphere of hope and confi- sistent, and we are bound to think a dence with him (surely gentle reader you conscientious opponent of Mr. Glad

## VICTORIA DAY.

the as it has not, the celebration in Canada before long disappear. There is a very CHAMBERLAIN AND HOME RULE throughout the British Empire of one Mr. Justin McCarthy in his Political of the Empire. There would be no great his idea of the envenomed dislike enter- with the aniversary of the birthday of connection is appropriate and suggestive

can baseball pitcher will receive \$8,000 for his services. It is calculated that this is \$1.85 for every time he will have

The Globe defends the Treadgold conssion and declares that the people of the Yukon as a whole do not disapprove of it as it is now modified. From our slight knowledge of the Yukon we have been of a different opinion.

The Gamey investigation has done the Ross government one good service. It has enabled it to postpone the interference with the liquor traffic outlined in

The Toronto Globe disapproves of the surtax on German goods, but excuses it breakfast, the same Colonial Secretary of Trade, with a seat in the cabinet, the ing Canadians to get even with Germaking the same stirring speech." There former, under-secretary for foreign afis a great deal of truth in this criticism. fairs. As yet Mr. Gladstone was not Globe's doctrine and very mysterious

METHODIST CONFERENCE

To the Editor.

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SIr.—In the article that appeared in your editorial columns about the Methodist conference, you stated that an investigation committee in indiction that an investigation committee in indiction and economic conditions. Also that whilst this has been going on another body of men whose relations are by no means unumportant to these affairs, have been quietly considering grave and religious questions; also that the conference that cosed its session on Wednesday night was notable in many respects. Any one who had attended the meetings of the conference that has just closed an easily understand that full justice should be given to gatherings of this kind. From the commencement of the session the interest shown, the influence shed abroad and the larmony that prevailed goes to prove that it has been the greatest event in the history of Methodism in this province. It is such meeting together of God-fearing men as have been assembled here that show us what we are and what by divine help we should try to be. I believe if we give just merits to work of this kind that our communities would soon realize there is something better to greach out for than who shall have the supremency in matter of material gain. We have a glorious heritage in this fair land, and ict us not abuse it by wasting time and energy on matters that if left alone would eventuallies that are in store for us. I believe Methodism has no exhausted livelf at this conference, but that it has stirred up the young men to greater activity than ever before. I believe to prosper we should give all honor to whom honor is due, and by rendering unto Coaser the things that are Caeser's and unto God the things that are God's seek for that righteousness that exalted a nation.

JUSTICE.

# PROVINCIAL PRESS

A rich strike of over four feet of solid ore was uncovered on the Empress near Bear lake last Wednesday. This property is Jocated below the rich Silver Glance, and is owned by Major Vankirk. He has been working himself on the property for some time, and from Indications a week ago, expected to strike the vein any time. —Sandon Reylew.

Through the kindness of Mr. W. A. Galilher and the courtesy of the Hon, the Minister of Inland Revenue, the Kaslo public school has received the gift of a complete set of metric weights and measures with descriptive chart. A number of these sets were obtained by the Department of Inland Revenue from Paris, Any persons wishing to Inspect them will be welcome to do so at the school. The system comes into force throughout the Dominion in 1195.—Kaslo Kootendan.

1905.—Kasio Kootendan.

W. Hudson, foreman at the Arlington mine, is interested with Bruce White, Oscar White, and a number of Nelson parties in applications that are being made for 20 sections of petroleum lands, situated at the headwaters of the Flathend river. The land is embraced in part of the ground made famous in connection with the Columbia & Western railway grant scandal, in various parts of the ground staked, crude petroleum may be scooped up from pools and hollows, while one particular piece has no less than seven distinct seepages, the petroleum rising in a steady stream.—Slocan Drill.

Never before in Br.tish Columbia mining history have there been so many projected stemp mills, concentrators, compressions and trainways as have been announced for this season. The Lardeau takes the beed—Lardeau Eagle.

The Golden Star is informed two unknown trappers were probably drowned in the Columbia river at Surprise rapids, as their punt and supplies have been found in the river. Two men, not since heard of and who came from Boundary, left Beaver in August. Revelstoke Mall.

The Chinamen shipped over to Fernie last week are now working on the coke oven, side by side with the Slavs. Till the Chinese arrived there was considerable shortage of labor, but now all the available ovens are being worked to their full capacity. No friction of any sort has been apparent between the Slavs and the new workmen.—Nelson Nows.

## RISIBILITIES

"Helen is very clever, isn't she? "Do you want my opinion, or Helen's?"—Har-per's Bazar.

Hollis—"Is he easily rattled?" Hall—
"Don't know. I've never been able to
shake him."—Harvard Laurpoon.

"What is the latest thing out in shoes?" asked one woman of another at the elub "My husband," was the prompt reply.—Chicago Record Herald,

"If Jack Nospud should ask you to marry him." simpered Mandle, calling up a blush, "what would you do?" What I have already done," said Mabel. Send him to you."—Chicago Tribune.

Miss Passay (coyly)—"And just think! Last evening he suddenly caught me in his arms and kissed me." Miss Pepprey—"He giways was a good-hearted fellow—and so unselfish."—Philadelphia Press.

# PRESS COMMENT.

Mr. Carnegle says our Colonial Empire is nothing but a politician's "cattch word." Vere it not that we know Mr. Carnegle—uiside of his talent for getting money—to e a very ignorant and ill-informed old man, we should accuse him of wilfully hutting his eyes to the truth.—Kamloops standard.

Post.

Avording to recent official statements made by Lord Milner, the British High Commissioner in South Africa, the consider evenues of the Transvani and Orange River colonies, will reach \$25,000,000. The 100,000,000 surplus will thus be large enough to pay 4 per cent on the \$175,000,000 surplus will thus be large enough to pay 4 per cent on the \$175,000,000 and leave a margin of \$3,000,000 for other purposes. The outlook is therefore, regarded as promising for a speedy recovery of the two colonies from the effects of the late war.—S. F. Chronicie.

For blowing out the brains of a boy in blight county, a man was given a year in fall. For stealing ten cents from a boy in Wentworth county a man was given a year in fall. And in London the man who swore he killed old Joseph Sifton got off Scott free! What kind of justice is this? Who is to blame for it? Have we got down to such a grade that we regard the theft of ten cents and the spilling of human blood as crimes of equal caliber?—London (Ont.) News.

A United States military journal, speaklog of General Miles' exposure of barbarous methods of dealing with Filipino prisoners by American soldlers, says he has not
centributed in any degree to the glory of
the army by making a report of this kind.
It instanates that he was actuated by a
sense of wrong on account of injustice done
to him within the past few years. Probabby the emineat veteran, when he compiled
his report, was thinking more of ventilating barbarous seandeds than of glorifying
the army. Certainly that is what should
have prompted him.—Toronto Globe.

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Bicycle Stolen.-Yesterday afternoon

Labor Commission.—The commission-

Labor Commission.—The commissioners propose to leave on the D. G. S.
Quadra for Union on Tuesday morning,
and will hold a two days' session at
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**Local News** 

Council Meeting.—On account of the toliday there will be no meeting of the ouncil this evening, the regular session occurring tomorrow evening.

Water Meters.—It is anticipated in City Hall circles that the question of placing the 350 water meters, which are expected to arrive from the manufacturers daily, will cause considerable difficulty. Water Commissioner Raymur has submitted a root to the causell re-

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The Legislature,—The legislature will reconvene for the despatch of business on Wednesday, after the adjournments due to the progress of the Columbia & Western inquiry. Some important developments are expected.

Flowers Donated.—The Tourist Association wish to thank Mr. Hopkins and the Fernie, the former for some beautiful carnations, and the latter for pansies, they so kindly sent to the Tourist rooms on Fort street on Saturday. Daughters of England.—The annual church parade of the Daughters of England will be held on the first Sunday in June at St. Saviour's church, Victoria West, to which all members of the Sons of England are invited. Bicycle Stolen.—Lessetuly afternoon a bicycle belonging to N. Gowen was stolen. He left it in Trounce Alley and went into the Grotto, and on returning for it a few minutes after, the bike had disappeared. The police were informed immediately, and the number of the machine given to them. Up to a late hour last night no trace of it was discovered.

Is Convalescing.—Inquiry made by the Colonist last evening as to the condition of little Caroline McClure, who was so seriously injured in a bicycle accident on Thursday, elicited the cheering information that she continues to improve and there is now every likelihood of her speedy recovery.

Gorge Launch Service.—The Tourist Association has succeeded in making arrangements for the continuation this season of the much-appreciated launch service to the Gorge for the convenience of tourists and visitors generally. The difficulty of having a licensed engineer in charge, which interfered with the service last season, has been gotten over by securing the services of an engineer holding a certificate. the report,

New Asphalt Pavement.—Next week work is to be commenced on a number of new permanent sidewalks which will add much to the improved appearance of the city. The streets on which asphalt is to replace wooden walks are as follows: Government street, west side, between the Victoria hotel and Cormorant street; Cormorant, north side, between Government and Store streets; Linden avenue, both sides, from the end of the present sidewalks to Belcher street; in front of the Hudson's Bay Co.'s store on Wharf street, and Belleville street, south side, from Menzies street to John street.

Jump in Values.—One effect of the announcement of the intention of the Co. P. R. to proceed with the construction of a tourist hotel in Victoria has been a of a tourist note in Victoria has been a jump in values set on real estate in the immediate vicinity of the intended site. A real estate agent stated yesterday that he doubted if property in the vicinity could be now purchased at a figure less than an increase of 25 per cent, on what was asked a month ago.

The Tally-ho.—On Monday next the splendid tally-ho coach imported by the Victoria Transfer Company will commence making regular trips each day, leaving the rooms of the Tourist Association at 2 p. m. Intending patrons of the service are requested to notify the secretary of the Tourist Association so that provision may be made for their accommodation.

The Carpenters.—The Carpenters' Union will hold a special meeting in Labor Hall tomorrow evening for the purpose of considering the latest phase of the strike situation—the refusal of the mill men to supply the strikers or carpenters employing them with any lumber. The Sound Service.—Patrons of the Sound service are loud in complaint of the inefficiency of the same, particular annoyance being felt at the length of time occupied by the Rosalie in making the run between Victoria and Seattle. A lady who went on board the Rosalie the other day at 9 a. m., expecting the boat to leave immediately, found that she did not sail until 1 p. m., and arrived at Seattle at 9 p. m.

Elsewhere in this issue reference is made to the fact that a test of the heliograph's capabilities to establish communication with Vancouver will be made this morning. The difficulties in the way of the success of the experiment are set forth in the following, which is taken from the News-Advertiser:

"The Ledger of Friday morning contained a rather startling announcement that the results of the sports at Victoria would be or might be received here by the helio. The plain facts are these: Color-Sergent Melhuish, who has been in correspondence with Signallers of the Royal Garrison Artillery of Esquimalt has arranged with them to try and establish communication on Monday from Grouse Mountain. It is very questionable whether this can be done, but it is worth a trial. The instruments are good for the distance but the atmospheric conditions on the Coast of British Columbia as a rule, are very unfavorable. Residents on English Bay can seldom see the mountains across on Vancouver Island, a much shorter distance than to Victoria. One other difficulty is there may be some hill or mountain in a direct line between the two stations which will obstruct the flashes, even supposing the altitude is sufficient to allow for the curve of the surface. There are only two heliographs in Vancouver, both private property; the one to be used here was made by Messrs. Melhuish and Hobson, and has five-inch mirrors. The Militia Department has issued instruments to the permanent corps only and signalling in Many at Shawnigan.—A great many holiday seekers went up to Shawnigan for Sunday and Monday, alarger crowd being presnt at the pretty lake resort than at any time during the present season. The new train service, which will prove a boon to campers and sports men, goes into effect on June 1. will prove a boon to campers and sports men, goes into effect on June 1.

Visits Discontinued.—Owing to the necessity of the school children paying to the Vancouver squad of heliographes every attention to their studies in preparation for the summer examinations, it has been thought best to discontinue for the present the weekly visits of the children to the manufacturing and industrial establishments of the city. The system will be continued again when the time arrives when it is considered opportune to do so.

Chamber of Commerce.—An important meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be held tomorrow evening, when besides the transaction of routine business consideration will be give; to the report of the transportation committee in the matter of discrimination against Victoria in railway freight rate schedules. All persons interested in shipping lave been invited to be present and important action is anticipated as an outcome of the meeting.

Saw the President.—His Worship

Saw the President.—His Worshio Mayor McCandless and Ald. Barnard, Grahame, Dinsdale and Yates are back from their jaunt to the Sound to witness the presidential reception. They report having had an excellent time and are loud in praise of the courtesy shown them by their American consins. They had seats on the reception platform and had an excellent view of President Roosevelt. They describe the marine parade on the occasion of the Spokane with the President on board entering Seattle harbor, as being most impressive.

Tabor Commission.—The next session

Labor Commission.—The next session of the labor commission is to be held at Comox on Wednesday, where interesting testimony is expected to be taken A feeling prevails at Ladysmith that an amicable settlement of the difficulty affecting the operation of the mines at Extension is not improbable at an early date. W. L. Mackenzie King, deputy minister of labor, secretary of the commission, is considering negotiations between Mr. James Dunsmuir and the latter's men, and he is very hopeful of being able to effect a settlement.

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Salt Water Baths.—Residents along Dallas road in the vicinity of the locality where it is proposed to establish salt water bathing facilities, do not look upon the project with favor. They claim that an undeel the clement would be attracted to to givening and that peanut stands and from the way of pleasing and entire environment. If the scheme is persisted in, a petition protesting against the suggestion will be presented to the council.

Used the Organ.—There were special services in the Centennial Methodist church yesterday to mark the installation of the new organ, H. Ives assisting the choir in the morning and Mrs.

6. E. Slater singing a solo in the even.

tion of the new organ, H. Ives assisting the choir in the morning and Mrs.

G. E. Slater singing a solo in the evening. A very interesting discourse was given at the latter service by Rev. Jas.
Threre, president of the Methodist conference. There were large attendances both morning and evening. On Wednesday evening the massed choirs of the Metropolitan and Centennial churches will give a grand concert at the latter a minber of the light-flagered gentry to edifice. The programme prepared is of exceptional merit.

Water Meters.—It is anticipated in City Hall circles that the question of placing the 350 water meters, which are expected to arrive from the manufacturers daily, will cause considerable difficulty. Water Commissioner Raymur

healty. Water Commissioner Raymur has submitted a report to the council, recommending the distribution of the meters among householders in a certain area of the city. Some of the aldermen are opposed to this idea, believing that a more equitable arrangement would be to place the meters positions where they will serve as a check on the larger consumers of water, taking the ordinary householders next in turn. It is felt that an injustice would be done the small householder to justall a meter on his premises until such time as all the larger residences, factories, saloons, justaurants, etc., has been "checked up." The matter is expected to be discussed at some length at tomorrow evening's meeting of the council. The Tourist Hotel.—The report of the deputation which waited with such success on Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, in respect to the project involving the construction of a tourist hotel on the James Bay esplanade, will be presented to the council tomorrow evening; and definite favorable action thereon is expected to be at once taken. It is planned that the legislative committee will be asked to prepare immediately the necessary amendment to the Municipal Clauses Act to permit of the city extending to the railway the concessions asked forfree site, free water, and remission of taxation for a period of years. The popular impression is that the bylaw will carry by a large majority.

Interesting Lawsuit.—A lawsuit with features of a more than usual interesting character has been commenced by a party resident in Vancouver against a gentleman whose headquarters are adjected in Port Simpson, but who was a former well known citizen on Victoria. The story goes that the plaintiff was in a restaurant in Vancouver in a condition which field him to act somewhat hobsterously when defendant entered with his wife. Plaintiff's language was annoying and insulting, and the porfiender, defendant undertook to remonstrate with him, with the result that blows were exchanged, plaintiff being knocked amoonscious, in which condition he remained for an hour or so. The force of the blow was so great that blows were exchanged, plaintiff so great interest.

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Maurice Leloir's original drawings, 245 in number engraved on wood by J. Huyot for the handsome edition of Dumas' "La Dame de Monsoreau," were sold at the Hotel Dronot in Paris recently for \$7,300. The designs brondt for the most part from \$15 to \$50 but one lot "Saint Luc en Robe de Chambre," reached \$175 and a large drawing of the "Procession de Saint Germain l'Auxerols," went for \$55; the frontisplece, "Henri III, avec ses Amis," found a purchaser at \$130, and "Le Cortege de Henri III, escortant la Littere Royale" sold for \$210. permanent has besided instruments to the permanent corps only and signalling in the Canadian militia where it does exist, is the result of individual enterprise and effort, and at the expense of the same individual." No. 3 Company Fifth Regiment, Decide to Give Prizes. At the last meeting of the No. 3 company Fifth regiment, it was decided to give the following prizes for securing of recruits: Two prizes will be given to the members of the company, brespective of rank, for the

The Louvre Museum has bought from M. Kleinberger, the dealer in old masters two land-scapes by Salomon Ruysdael. One represents a riverside view and the other a round tower upon a mound. These are said to be good specimens of the master's works, of which the Louvre, up till now has only possessed one specimen. Salomot Ruysdael was the brother of Jacques Ruysdael. He was a pupil of Van Goyen and died in 1670, ten years before his brother

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# The Day We

Continued From Page One.)

For the locals, Holness will be on the rubber, while the rest of the team will be practically the same as that which has been playing the past few games. Today's game will be called promptly at 3 o'clock. For the benefit of those who wish to avoid the rush at the gate, tickets will be on sale at the Post Office Cigar store, Cuillin's Citzar store and at Geo. Smith's stand. The trannway company will have plenty of extra cars on the run to carry the crowd in quick time both to and from the grounds. On Friday and Saturday next the University of Washington team will play here. This team holds the inter-collegiate championship of Idabo, Washington and Oregon. They have also met with considerable success in playing against the various semi-professional teams throughout the three class ball.

Hamilton, N. Y., May 23.—Colgate won side dual track meet with Hamilton College doday by fue score of 78 to 48.

Toronto, May 23.—Newark 1; Toronto 0; A. f.c. 12 innings.

Albany, May 23.—Cornell defeated Princeton this afternoon in a field meet at Ridge-field by the score of 67 to 50.

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orth Ward Wins Opening Game for Col-onist Cup -- Whateom Today.

North Ward 21; South Park 6, large crowd, the majority being compat of pupils of the various schools, the Hill on Satunday morning witness the opening game in the serious haschail markines, in which the school is will compete for the possession of Colonist cup. Nort Ward was echied to play South Park, McGarry and the being in the bodits for North Ward, the South Park, McGarry and the being in the bodits for North Ward, which Park, McGarry and the being in the bodits for North Ward, which Principal Country and Couch Emerson with Park, McGarry and Fine Couch Park, Miss Agnes is Cameron and Couch Emerson with Park, McGarry and L. Couch Emerson with Park Principal Country and Couch Emerson with Park Principal Country and loss of curve speed, but was create at times, proceed, but was created at times, proceed, but was created at times, proceed, but was created at times, proceed, but the process of the game were Fugle's productive of a large number of vans, score ending in their favor by 21 to 6, features of the game were Fugle's complete the productive of a large number of vans, score ending in their favor by 21 to 6, features of the game were Fugle's complete the productive of a large number of vans, score ending in their favor by 21 to 6, features of the game were Fugle's complete the productive of a large number of vans, score ending in their favor by 21 to 6, features of the game were Fugle's complete the productive of a large number of vans, score ending in their favor by 21 to 6, features of the game were Fugle's complete the productive of a large number of vans, score ending in their favor by 21 to 6, features of the game were fugle and the complete the productive of a large number of vans, score ending in their favor by 21 to 6, features of the game were fugle and the complete the productive of a large number of vans, score ending in their favor by 21 to 6, features of the game were fugle at the productive o

Championship Game to Be at the Caledonia Grounds.

Grounds.

the programme today will be opened by lacrosse match at the Caledonia grounds to a, m., when the boys in blue and to will show what they can do. Mr. lwed, after seeing a number of the conver team, after they came off the last night, expressed the opinion that could see no reason why the Victoria s couldn't hold their own against the tora, as the average weight of the two lost is practically the same. The visit-aggregation will be picked from the foliag list of names: York, Hermon, Pen-Burr, Robinson, Cao, Springer, Morri-Mattheson, Cameron, Murray Godfrey, highly list of the country of the captain.

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side home, P. Tait; outside nome, w. Anderson.
Victoria Juniors—Goal, B. Watson; point, A. Clegg; cover point, J. Fawcett; first deferce. T. Dougal; second defence. A. Sargison; third defence, H. Ogden; centre, L. Sweeney; faird home, T. Gawley; second home, H. Sargison; first home, F. Cullin; outside home, A. Mulcahey; inside, H. Roskamp.
G. Coldwell will act as referee, and will call the game sharp on time. Mr. Mathews will act as field captain.

FOOTBALL.

Championship Will be Played Off This Afternoon.

Afternoon,

At 3 o'clock at the Caledonia grounds, the Provincial Association championship will be decided. The Cumberland intermediates, after a lot of considering, decided yesterday afternoon that they would come down to Victoria and play off the the with the Capitals, and decide the most momentous question of who is to be the provincial champions. The game promises to be one that will live long in the annals of interneediate football. It will be a battle of giants, and fenght to the finish. The founction will be practically the same as it was when they met the visitors in Nanaimo and played a draw with them. The Cumberland aggregation is almost the same as it was on that memorable day just mentioned, and they lintend to travel behind

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Bowling analysis-		
Richardson 7 wickets	for 3	truns
Ashby o wickets	for 12	s runs
Forsyth 0 wickets	for 1:	2 runs
Appleby 2 wickets	for 1	runs
Howe 1 wicket	for 2	2 runs
Anderson 0 wickets	for 10	3 runs

## THE RING.

The boxing contest which taxes place the Savoy on Monday night is causing great deal of excitement in sporting circ Herewith we present a partial list of ca-man's achievements in the past. It pro-trat both men have good records:

:	Louis Long W10 R
:	Kid McFadden D15 R.
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'	Tom Herman W15 R.
•	Tom Cox
•	Chas. Pickers K.O11 R.
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	Jim Ascott W 6	R.
	Alf. Grenfel	R
	Dave Charley	
	Alex. Williams L 19	
	Pluto W 4	R.
	Black Prince W. 3	
	Martin Denny L. 15	R
	Kid Gordon	
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	Spider Welch	
	Ike Rubenstein W 8	
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This was also a 36 hole round. Both Kellog and Reid made medal play scores for the double round of 155 strikes.

Worcester, Mass., May 23.—Amherst won the New England Inter-collegiate champion-ship today with 51 points. Williams was second, with 31, M. I. T. being close up-with 30.—Dartmouth scored 15 and Wes-leyan and Bowdin tied for fifth place with 23 cach.

Derby Sweep.—Strand Hotel, Vanceuver, gave the largest sweepstake ever given last year. Ticks year's will be bigger than ever. Tickets one dollar.

# Songhees Beat Saanich Braves

Great Baseball Struggle Between the Red Men of Rival Tribes.

Took Place Yesterday on Indian Reserve---Songhees Were

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Over on the level on the reserve near
the Marine hospital three Songhees
braves were dancing off their bases, and
the Siwash Casey had come to the bat.
Twice, like mighty Casey, of history,
he fanned, and then amid a noise like
an overworking potlateh he landed on
the nose of the baseball and skied it-toa far away flappole. The hit score
three men who were on the bags, and
ince batter also tallied. Which incident
was the ground work on which the Songhees baseball nine built another victory
over the braves from Sanach.

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Afar off in the coast Mahees where e brown hunters spear scals off shore,

gle.

On the reserve a large crowd gathered, On the reserve a large crowd gathered, and the shouting and the screeching was very fierce. The excursionists on the Majestic and Yosemite thought the tribe had risen and a massacre was taking place—but this was because they heard that great outburst when the Siwash Casey hit the ball on the nose for three bags and the Indians ran like deer for the home plate.

# Tortured with Pain Judge Walkem's Report To House

Finding of the Royal Commission on Smith Curtis' Charges.

Government Fully Exonerated as a Result of the Investigation.

following is the full text report on the Smith Curtis charges by the commissioner, Mr. Justice Victoria, B. C., May 13th, 1903 Ionorable the Speaker of the Legis

Victoria, B. O., May 13th, 1903

To the Honorabe the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly;
Sir,—Certain charges of malversation of
office, or political corruption, having been
preferred during the last session of the
legislative assembly against the Hon. Mr.
Dunsmuir, the then Premier of the province
and this colleagues, by Mr. Curtis, an honorable member of the House, with a request
that a select committee should be appointed to laquire into their truth, the house
decided that the enquiry should be held
before a royal commission, and His Honorthe Lleut-Governor, having concurred
therein, was pleased to appoint me to act
as sole commissioner for the purpose mentioned. Having held the inquiry, I have
row the honor to report the result of it for
the information of honorable members of
the fine and main, charge is, in substance, that Mr. Dunsmuir, while Premier
agreed, in order to enhance the value of
his railway and other personal interests
on Vancouver Island, to give the Canadian
Northern Railway Company an excessive
provincial subsidy in money and land for
the purpose of assisting them to extend
their castern railway system through the
prevince to the waters of Bute Inter, and
ultimately to the city of Vetoria. The
principal evidence which Mr. Curtis produced with a view of proving that the subsidy was evessive—for that is what iscomplained of—is contained in the following
replies, which he chelited when examining
Mr. Dunsmuir. Gee evidence up. 624, 655;
Onestion, J. asked you a fair question,
and I will remeat it, when the railway is
built or sections of it built, so that land
is open, what in your oplinion is a fair

# Sour Stomach —Bad Breath.

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City Hall. 5th May, 1903.

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the visit of South Park school to the difficit industrial centres of Victoria city;

Priday afternoon the shop-keepers on runnent street, Victoria, B. C., crowdtheir doors and windows to witness passing of a brilliant procession, which sixed of the pupils of South Park al, wending their way to the different res of industry for the puppose of wid(their knowledge of the manufactures heir city. The spectators, straining necks at their doorways, saw this proon turn down Yates street, and then

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he calidren, as they were conducted and the various departments of this ding, opened their eyes wile in astonment, for they had no idea that their manufactured such useful articles, y saw as they passed from room to in, everything in the way of apparel, in the hat to the shoes; also stationery cles, and large bundles of heavy blank-which (as a gentleman told them) were shipped to Dawson. They were wint to a room where the female employwere at work, and the children fell over another in their anxiety to have a look if they were shown out, to the great reof all those within, and they again ded their way along Government street, time to the gas works, ere they entered a large garden where and they were entered a large garden where a look if the seventh of a large garden where it could gas is collected. In here the children is felt that they didn't know whether is were to be blown up the next minute and, for it was very dark, and oppress', with the smell of gas. Here the children is returned and a gentleman got in front and gave a lengthy description here from the garden again was given them. They were taken out this room, but they were then shown a room where the tar was caught. No carded to stary very long there, and they it into the garden again where another cription of the process of making coal was given them. They were linformed to the sorrow of the shildren, were faishissed, and wended their ry way home again, with this impress, that Victoria is the manufacturing of Camada, always has and always will

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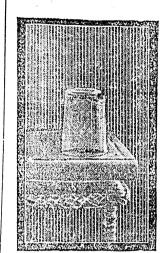
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muscles which control motion.	to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight.
There is a peculiar numbness of the	The height is in feet and tenths of a foot.
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Proceedings Before Royal Commission on Labor on Friday Last.

Strike Leaders Combat Mr. Dunsmuir's Proposals for Settlement.

Ladysmith, May 22.—The D. G. S. Quadra, carrying the labor commission-ons, anchored in the harbor this morning shortly before the train arrived from Vannaimo bringing the counsel. The norming session was occupied with the committee when recently interbalm on two occasions, and told places, were given to certain favorities in the mines. "Narrow" work, which is connection of Mines given to favorites. It carried a yardag was so full of sustant of Mr. Dunsmuir cross-examination by Mr. blaid himself open to the laid himself open to the folial himself open to the folial himself open to the folial himself open to the At the afternoon sitting Alex. Dunsmuir's contention that unions make a gevidence, speaking from inthe strong, witness consistency that the terms for the weak to the detriment of a gevidence, speaking from inthe strong, witness consistency that the strong witness consistency witness witness consistency witness witness consistency witness wi

some reason to suppose that he only ave been referring to the strike at the c Roi mines.

The commissioners took their seats at 1830 a.m. Mr. E. V. Bodwell, K.C., 2550 pounds, as heretofore. There was an increase also for coal at 30 the additional property. At the opening of the proceedings, Ir. Bodwell stated that Moses Woodurn wanted to explain to the commissioners his evidence given on Thesalay ist with regard to Thomas Shenton, hich evidence Thomas Shenton had deied the accuracy of at Xanaimo. The identee in question was to the effect hat in a conversation he (Woodburn) ad with Shenton, he had suggested to henton that in view of the present suffering amongst women and children owners and with Shenton that in view of the present suffering amongst women and children owners and self-driven on the strike, he (Shenton would not henton that in view of the present suffering amongst women and children owners and self-driven on the strike, he (Shenton would not henton that in view of the present suffering amongst women and children owners admitted the fact and said he would repeat the better as well as he could remember. It was addressed by Mr. Ommany-long for organizing the affiliation, the last and more, in the strike fund some of his member. It was addressed by Mr. Ommany-long for organizing the affiliation, the last and more, in the strike in the strike fund some of his member. It was addressed by Mr. Ommany-long fundamental the letter as well as he could remember. It was addressed by Mr. Ommany-long fundamental the letter as well as he could remember the committee of the Wellington Colliery Company, and ratio (Gentlemen, I off-ted in my letter handed over to you yesterday to state that I did not intend to discriminate the letter of the discriminate was the supplemental to the committee of the welling of the strike in the committee of the welling of the strike in the committee of the work of the control of th

Woodburn called witnesses to prove its statement. B. Foreimager said he appened to pass by when the conversation took place, and had heard the words, "I will do that and more," but in what connection he could not say tharry Carroll deposed that by took part in the conversation. Woodburn had isked Sienton among other things if he was prepared to give half the commission Le was farning to the strike fund, and Shenton had replied with the words quoted. Witness thought Shenton was protoid. The conversation was serious. Joe McMurphy coroborated the facts of the story, but understood that the words quoted were only said in joke.

him with regard to the evidence he d given. Woodburn stated that he l been called foul names. The Chief Justice, addressing the eting, wished it to be understood that any one used foul language to, or

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prices, deficiency was better paid at Nanaimo, and the coal fields there were freer of other material. From reading the proposals, witness would say that if a man engaged on day work he could not, if it were to his advantage, change over to contract work. The last digging he worked 16 days for \$32 on contract. He did not ask to go on day work. He quit.

Mr. Bodwell—Would you object to the proposal if Mr. Dunsmuir meant it to

Mr. Bodwell—Would you object to the proposal if Mr. Dunsmuir meant it to provide for an interchange from day work to contract work? Personally witness said he would object to anything involving his severance from

that Mr. Donsmir cannot be forced to carry out a contract he has put his name to? Not in this country.

To Rev. Dr. Rowe witness could not say whether the men would make a proposition acceptable to themselves and including withdrawal from the Western Evdewtine.

The Chief Justice thought that the half-dozen brainy men controlling this strike had taken a very serious responsibility in refusing this offer. Speaking for himself, he did not see what better

felt assured it was his final proposition. Witness admitted that he never advected such a counter proposition, though he was one of the leaders of the work though he was one of the leaders of the work though he was one of the leaders of the work though he was one of the leaders of the work though he was one of the leaders of the work though he was one of the leaders of the work though the was looking for. Mr. Dimenuir's of the might have the substituted in the proposition of the majority o

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